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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)		Attorney Docket No.: 74622-011	
Applicants:	Naratil et al.	Conf. No.:	8319
Application No.:	09/617,853	Group No.:	3694
Filing Date.:	July 17, 2000	Examiner:	Colbert, Ella
Title:	SYSTEM FOR TRADING FIXED INCOME FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS: U.S. TREASURY SECURITIES, LIQUID AGENCIES AND ZERO COUPON STRIPS		

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a reply in the above identified application.

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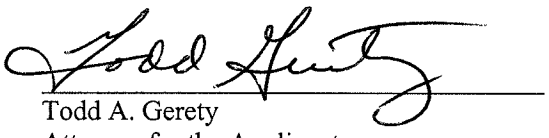
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- ☐ assignee of record of the entire interest. See 37 CFR 3.71. Statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b) is enclosed (Form PTO/SB/96).
- ☒ attorney or agent of record. Registration Number 51,729.
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